IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Tre: R. Boucher Confirmation No. 3423
Serial No.: 10/087,355 Group Art Unit: 1617
Filed: March 1, 2002 Examiner: S. Wang
For: COMPOUNDS AND METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT OF

AIRWAY DISEASES AND FOR THE DELIVERY OF AIRWAY DRUGS

November 21, 2003

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

1.	This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of three (3) months to		
respo	ond to the Official Ac	ction dated May 21, 2003	
2.	A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:		
	\boxtimes	is filed herewith.	
	has been filed.		
3.	Applicant:		
	Claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.		
	□ Does not claim small entity status.		
4.	Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d)):		
	Total Months	Fee For Other	Fee for
	Requested	Than Small Entity	Small Entity
	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
	two months	\$420.00	\$210.00
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	three months	\$950.00	\$475.00

\$1,480.00

\$2,010.00

Fee Enclosed \$950.00

\$740.00

\$1,005.00

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four months

five months

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✓ A check including the amount of the fee is enclosed.
 ✓ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038) is enclosed.
 ✓ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-0220 for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF EXPRESS MAILING

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Susan E. Freedman

Date of Signature: November 21, 2003